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TITLE: "MAGNETIC RESONANCE APPARATUS HAVING A GRADIENT  
COIL SYSTEM WITH STIFFENING ELEMENTS"

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In response to the Notice dated February 8, 2002 (copy attached), Applicant  
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